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DEMOCRACY AND DE- CENCY IS DEFEATED.

**Party Lines Torn Asunder On the Every
Hand—Regular Democratic Ticket is
Defeated—Lindsey, Compton and Hall
Apparently Elected.**

The most turbulent, hard fought and bitter political campaign in the history of Roosevelt county has come to an end and with it has come the end of decency and party lines in politics, for some years to come. The men who fought the battles of the democratic party went down in defeat. The men who stood for the breaking up of the party and the defeat of its contentions have risen easily into the saddle. A new day has come to the political side of Roosevelt county. It is no longer any crime to deliberately choose to nominate oneself for a high and honorable position without solicitation, enter into an unprincipled combine in order to secure the position; and to use any and all sorts of means to accomplish the end even though it means the tearing up of party lines, the destroying of life-long friendships and the stooping to the foulest slanders.

Election day came on bright and glorious and the returns show, contrary to the expectations of the most learned, that the voters came out in numbers as large as our proportion of the 1908 vote, though the people were believed to be "all gone." There was "trading" on all sides, and an utter absence of adherence to party lines. Mr. Whitlach, a socialist candidate, far outran his actual party strength and made a splendid showing. Judge W. E. Lindsey of Portales, the republican leader of the county, after spending but one week in real active campaigning, actually out ran all candidates on all sides, though of course this could not have happened except for the split in the democratic ranks. Even the personal popularity and general high esteem in which Judge Lindsey is held by the people on all sides over Roosevelt county would have availed nothing toward his election had the democratic vote remained together and supported solidly the one or the other of the democratic tickets.

WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

Let us soberly try to estimate the meaning of this election: First, of all it shows just what the convention scheme of nominating our officers is liable to result in, viz., a party torn limb from limb and the election of a republican. No such result could have been possible if we had had a primary.

Second, it shows that the public is ready to believe almost anything, no matter how informed, in a political campaign and that, therefore, the fellow who is clever in starting and circulating campaign slander—and the bigger and more unreasonable the better—is the surest of his place. Take for example, the slander on our irrigation company. What has come of it? Why, Judge Lindsey, the leading republican in the county, was said to be back of the exemption scheme and yet the people have elected him and the two men who circulated this slander, as their delegate to the constitu-

tional convention.

Third, what of the future of the democratic party? The socialists are fast reaching out for the ascendancy. Party obligations on the part of democrats will certainly be a joke, at least for some years to come. The more flagrantly one can run rough-shod over his party obligations, the surer he is of his place. What, therefore may we expect? Anything that any man feels disposed to get off on the people.

Fourth, the old, old lesson of the right and the wrong—the right confident, listless, supine; the wrong arrogant, aggressive, triumphant. If the passion for a conquering campaign for righteousness, truth and principle had been half as strong as the arrogant and unscrupulous effort at boss-rule, there would have been another story to tell. When will the people who believe in the right and when occasion demands, suffer and sacrifice to make it triumph?

Seventh, the way out is plain—viz, it lies along the path of a whole-hearted consecrated endeavor for the right against the wrong. If half the people who have stood and fought for the right in this campaign will feel the call for redoubled effort which the results of this election issues to every true man, the victory is ours.

Meantime, let us give thanks that conditions are no worse. Judge Lindsey, republican though he be, is one of the highest minded and best equipped men in the territory for this or any other office in the gift of the people of New Mexico. The other two men are qualified intellectually for the duties now before them though we stand square upon the issue that no man living or dead can defend the methods of their recent successful campaigning.

PORTALES BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

The Portales Baptist Association met at Clovis Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. There was a large representative attendance, some 45 messengers being present and some 50 or more churches represented either by letter or messenger. In spite of the past two years severe drouth, substantial progress was reported from almost every church in the association, comprising Roosevelt and Curry counties. Some ten or more newly organized churches were reported and several others which have been organized this year were not represented. The question of alignment with the Northern or Southern Convention was chief

subject of interest; but this was finally disposed of by the adoption of a peace program which leaves the matter to be settled by the majority vote of all the churches of the territory, acting in their own conference with a published statement of the argument on both sides before them.

Rev. J. A. Cassidy of Elida was elected as associational missionary; and the body adjourned Saturday afternoon, after a very successful session.

Among those who attended from Portales were, J. A. Tinsley, Wm. Twiggs, F. T. Burke, Mrs. N. F. Wollard, E. P. Alldredge and H. C. Maxwell.

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THREE CROPS OF GRAPES IN THE UPPER VALLEY

Las Cruces, N. M., Sept. 2. —Professor Fabian Garcia, head of the horticultural department of the New Mexico College of Agricultural and Mechanical Arts, reports quite a curiosity in the line of grape culture. In the experimental vineyard, there are a number of vines of the white seedless grape which produced a good crop. This week it was discovered that there was another crop of fruit which was just ripening and there are also many bunches of extremely small grapes which will make a third crop if frost does not strike here too soon. This is the first instance on record of a grape vine producing three crops in one season. The second crop, which is now ripe, has as good flavor as the first and the bunches are practically as large. —El Paso Herald.

REESE-JACKSON WEDDINGS

Sunday afternoon, one mile south of the Boykin Lake, near Cromer, in this county Attorney G. L. Reese of this city and Miss Jim Porter Jackson, formerly of Texas and Oklahoma, were happily united in the bonds sacred wedlock, Rev. E. L. Young of Methodist Church of Portales officiating. Sheriff R. A. Bain, undersheriff Chas. T. Duncan and a few of the bride's neighbors made up the wedding party which, shortly after the ceremony, sat down to one of the most elaborate and elegant wedding dinners this section of the country has ever witnessed.

The bride is an accomplished and a handsome young woman who came here some months since, was elected as one of the teachers in the public school in Portales, only to have Judge Reese who is one of the board of trustees, to offer her the infinitely higher position of his homemaker and helpmeet.

Judge Reese is known all over this county and state as an attor-

ney second to none in his line in New Mexico,—a man who has come up through fire and flood of overwhelming difficulties and trials as conqueror over them all. Yet a young man, on the threshold of life, strong and vigorous in body, mind, and character, Mr. Reese launches again into the great issues of life with as many friends, as good reputation, as bright prospects, as thorough equipment, as good training and experience and now with as superb, queenly, and womanly a character as helpmeet, friend, and wife as any man within our knowledge. We do not know the future,—what it may or may not hold for them,—but we can not keep back the conviction and the hope that the union of this splendid man and woman may be an honor to our country and a blessing to society. The Herald extends mutual congratulations and heart's best wishes to both Mr. and Mrs. Reese.

OFFICERS ELECTED FOR U. D. C.

The Varina Davis Chapter of the U. D. C. met with Mrs. Bryan August 30 for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, the following being elected:—President, Mrs. H. F. Jones; First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Williamson; Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. Bryan; Recording Sec., Miss Bryan; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. Sledge; Treasurer, Mrs. Hightower; Historian, Mrs. Oldham; Press Reporter, Miss Pearl Stone; Custodian of Crosses of Honor, Mrs. Seth Morrisson; Leader of Dixie Choir, Mrs. Nixon. The voting was by ballot without nominations which added unusual interest.

Mrs. Bryan served refreshments in two courses assisted by Misses. Freeman, Ferguson and Cox.

The installation of officers takes place Sept. 13 at Mrs. Hightower's.

Ursi Keen is the possessor of a splendid five-passenger Ford automobile which he bought in Lubbock, Texas, recently.

C. O. LEACH, President
W. E. LINDSEY, Vice-Pres.
W. O. OLDHAM, Cashier

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PUBLIC SCHOOL TO OPEN.

The Portales public school opens next Monday, September, 12th. There will be a meeting of the superintendent and teachers at the school building Friday at 8:30 p. m. of this week to make preliminary arrangements for the opening. It is expected that all the teachers will be here by that time.

Inasmuch as the superintendent has not been able to find the register of last session which would show the promotions and proper class standing of all pupils, all parents and guardians are urged to use their best efforts to have the pupils bring their promotion cards to present to their teachers first thing Monday morning, otherwise there may be some unavoidable delays in the classification.

There will be no regular recitations on Monday. Each teacher will use as much of the forenoon as is necessary for classifying, organizing and assigning work for the following day, giving out lists of books, etc. There will be no afternoon session on Monday in order that children may have an opportunity to secure the necessary books and supplies.

The superintendent and teachers will be glad to have the parents and friends come with the children Monday at 9:00 o'clock. The parents of the high school students are especially invited and urged to come, as some matters of most far reaching and vital importance are to be presented to the high school students at that time; and the superintendent is particularly anxious to have present every parent who is to have a boy or girl in the high school this year.

The tuition rates for pupils residing outside the district will be \$1.00 per month for the primary department, including grades one to four; \$1.50 per month for the grammar school department, including grades five to eight; and \$2.00 per month for the high school department. All tuition must be paid in advance to the clerk of the board of directors, India Humphrey.

NOTICE.

Property owners should bear in mind that they are liable in all cases for the monthly sanitary fee. This item should be provided for in renting property as a great many tenants will not assume the obligation which must be paid. Do this and avoid trouble.
W. S. Ponder,
41 tf Sanitary Supervisor.

Call the garage, 45-2r. when in need of automobile repairs and accessories, oils and etc.

Furnished room for rent either as a bed room or for light house-keeping. Convenient to bath room. Mrs. Egbert Woods, Phone 152. 41 tf

Exclusive agents for Colorado Nigger Head Coal. Phone 53. Connally Coal Co. 41-4t.

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Rev. J. F. Elder, of Mangum, Okla., arrived here Tuesday for a visit of a few days with some old friends whom he knew in his old Quannah, Texas, home, among them being J. B. Morrow and wife, W. H. Snell and family and R. M. Sanders.

MISS MARY MORROE ENTERTAINS.

Yesterday afternoon at their new home in South Portales, Miss Mary, the younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Monroe, entertained the following young friends:—Misses Mattie Doss Hightower, Fannie Williamson, Hallie Birdwell, Neva Odom, Willie Mae Culberson, Vera Humphrey, Blanche Hostetler, Pearl Leach, Theo Bagwell, Hazel Woodmore, Georgie Furgerson and Ilene Smith.

In an advertisement guessing contest following the arrival of the young ladies, Miss Blanche Hostetler won the prize, a powder puff. This was followed by the game of "It," then moulding chickens of gum with toothpicks occupied their attention and caused much merriment. Miss Hallie Birdwell was awarded a box of candy for moulding the best resemblance.

Sunshine sandwiches and pineapple sherbet were served in the dining room after which each guest was taken apart and had her fortune told by the penny method. A candy eating contest was next and in this Miss Mattie Doss Hightower carried away the prize, a box of candy. A book was given Miss Hallie Birdwell for being the quickest to assemble a number of given letters making the names of animals. A number of articles placed on a table, looked at and afterwards written from memory, was next in order. Miss Hazel Woodmore taking the prize, a box of candy.

By this time the sun was nearing the horizon and Miss Mary and her brother, Thompson, and sister, Miss Sarah, by whom she was ably assisted in the entertaining, received the hearty congratulations of the happy departing guests.

A modern commercial school in Roosevelt county, with a strong faculty and course, which prepares for all kinds of commercial positions, with good positions awaiting you. Some office, printing office and other industrial work to aid a few students. For further information address,
Wm. J. Beeson, Pres.,
La Lande, N. M.

Messrs. J. H. Bryan, W. H. Casler, Jim Robinson, Jr., and S. P. Robbins composed an automobile party who came over from Lubbock Monday to look over the Portales irrigation system, as they are much interested in irrigation matters since the return of Don H. Biggers, their townsman, who was over here several weeks ago and returned home and filled his local papers with matter about the wonders of irrigation by pumpage. These gentlemen state that the town of Lubbock is making arrangements to test the water supply over there and will begin operations at once. The two first named gentlemen above will probably put in private plants and were here to gather information relative to cost, etc. of small pumping plants.

For Rent:—Large furnished room with closet, hot and cold bath. See Dr. J. L. Weeks at Neer's Drug Store. 42 tf.

Lost:—One ten inch two-horse turning plow, a John Deere, which was taken from the court yard in Portales. Please return at once and accept thanks of owner. G. P. Harris. It.

Mrs. Cleveland Compton returned home Monday from a visit with her parents at Canyon City, Texas.

CARTER NEWS

Sunday School every Sunday at 8 o'clock and we earnestly request everybody to be present.

The singing at the home of Bro. Walker Sunday night was well attended and a pleasure to all.

The Olive school, under the supervision of G. W. Stroud, is progressing nicely and we are hopeful of a good school.

Will Beaver and his wife are the proud parents of a new son. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Miss Jessie Parrish visited with Miss Ruth Walker the past week.

Mrs. Walker attended the Baptist Association at Clovis, also, visited with her son James Walker, and wife, and returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Small, Mrs. Lawrence Parrish and son and Miss Albrite, of Longs, N. M., visited with Marion Parrish and family Sunday.

H. O. Henson and family visited at the home of Mr. Grisso last Sunday and had the pleasure of sampling a fifty pound watermelon.

The Rogers Athletic Club will

meet next Saturday at the Fullerton mill house to see if they have any boys in the ranks of Jeffries and Johnson.

Ed. Mitchell and family and Mrs. T. P. Pratter staid to Roswell last week for fruit.

Mrs. Stokes, our postmistress, gave a tacky party last Friday evening. A large number was present and the evening spent in merry making. Mrs. Grisso and Clinton Fortner were awarded the cake for being the tackiest.

A strong commercial department is connected with the State Holiness University, La Lande, N. M. Several teachers, and one year, two year and three year courses. One year's study there should prepare a bright young man, or woman, for all kinds of positions at a salary of \$50.00 and up. Tuition reasonable and free classes in college. The college has eight degree courses and fourteen teachers. For further information address,
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Dr. H. H. Alldredge, of Fort Worth, a brother to Editor E. P. Alldredge, came in unexpectedly Sunday afternoon on a hurried visit.

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Every person who is planning a furniture purchase, whether a single piece or the equipment of a luxurious home, should be informed as to what constitutes real furniture value. For there is a vast difference in the methods of upholstered furniture construction. It is this difference that counts in the years of service that the honestly built piece should give.

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ED. J. NEER

PORTALES, NEW MEXICO.

ONE-SIXTH CROP OF APPLES

Roswell, N. M., Sept. 1.—Careful estimates made by the apple buyers of Roswell show that the Roswell fruit district has just a one-sixth crop this year. The proportion of bearing orchard is the same as that of the orchard smudged in the spring. The apples in the smudged orchards are of fine size, flavor and color.

O. W. Skorsowsky, one of the candidates for the constitutional convention on the Socialist ticket, sustained very painful injuries Monday evening while dismounting from a young mule. His right foot was sprained severely

and he was in town Tuesday on crutches.

Grover Brock returned home Sunday from an extended visit to San Angelo, and other Texas points and is at his old place at the depot.

Mrs. T. E. Mears and sister, Miss Josephine McManaway, left Tuesday for Miss McManaway's home in Petersburg, Va., where they will visit some months.

Lon Blankenship left Tuesday for Lebanon, Tenn., where he will take a course in law.

For rent:—Good four-room house near school house. Apply to O K Barber Shop. 42-tf



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C. S. HART IS SHOT

Last Friday evening, late, a man by the name of Gregory, ended on altercation with our fellow townsman, Mr. C. S. Hart, by running into his (Gregory's) house, seizing his shot gun and rushing out to where Mr. Hart was trying to mount a wild horse to get away, and emptying both barrels of his shot gun at Mr. Hart in an effort to kill him. There was just one reason, perhaps, why the shooting was not tragic and fatal, viz.—the shot gun was loaded with number four shot instead of a larger and more deadly size.

The trouble came up, it seems, from a rumor to the effect that Mr. Hart had sold his cattle which were being pastured on Mr. Gregory's place and would likely remove them without first paying the pasturage rent. This rumor had come to Mr. Gregory who is an old bachelor living out from Bovina some ways, and he had made some threats about the matter. On going up to Bovina, Mr. Hart went out to see Mr. Gregory with the hope of explaining matters to him. On reaching the house and calling Mr. Gregory out some distance, Mr. Hart soon found himself unable to satisfy Mr. Gregory, who spoke sharply and began to curse. As Mr. Hart was absolutely unarmed and in his shirt sleeves, he conceived the idea of mounting his horse quickly and getting out of shot gun reach by the time Mr. Gregory could secure his gun and get to him. Unfortunately for Mr. Hart, however, his horse was very wild and became so excited that Mr. Hart was unable to mount until Mr. Gregory had secured his gun and leveled it at him with murderous intent. Looking back at him, Mr. Hart saw Mr. Gregory taking aim and knew there was just one chance to save himself and, quick as a flash, threw himself on the opposite side of the horse, holding on with his right arm clinched around the horn of the saddle with which he also sought to shield his face. But as he threw himself in this position Mr. Gregory fired upon him, mangling frightfully the right arm of Mr. Hart also, wounding one side of his face and bearing the horn of the saddle all to pieces. Not seeing Mr. Hart fall, Mr. Gregory fired again, the lead taking effect in the upper part of the right leg. Meantime Mr. Hart hung to the saddle, the frightened horse—perhaps itself wounded severely—and retreated as speedily as possible. As they were some distance from headquarters and from Bovina, it was not until Saturday morning that Mr. Hart could be gotten to the path-bound train which brought him to his home in Portales.

Unfortunately and severely shot, Mr. Hart is not dangerously hurt, except in case of infection and blood poisoning. Mr. Hart is one of the most respected and honorable citizens of Portales and not "fussy" man in any sense; and the whole community, we feel sure, joins the Herald in condemning the cowardly outrage of the man who made such a desperate attempt—all for the amount of \$4.00 pasturage rent which, too, is not due for sometime yet.

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The Commissioner's Court convened in regular September session yesterday morning and will over the assessor's tax rolls and will probably canvass the election returns before the close of the session.

The Store For All The People

This Week At Joyce-Pruit Co's.

New Line Ladies' Tailored Suits
New Line of Linoleum and Window Shades.
New Line of Carpets and Rugs.

New Line of Men's and Boy's Nobby, Up-to-Date Hats

Everything to Eat and Wear Hardware, Implements, Etc.

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DISTRICT COURT.

Monday September 5th was the opening day for the fall term of the District court, but owing to the fact that Monday was a holiday and Tuesday following was election day, the court did not convene in session until yesterday.

The docket is said to be unusually light this term, both in the criminal and civil departments, and if the grand jury does not develop some new cases, this term will be rather short. Following are lists of the juries drawn for the term:

GRAND JURY.

H. W. Moore, Jno. B. Hinds, J. M. Price, D. A. Ferguson, E. S. Allen, Bill Elliott, C. F. Kimbrell, J. F. Clark, Ben Robinson, O. B. Billip, L. W. Sanders, C. H. Stroud, J. T. Watkins, W. F. Holland, J. F. McGuire, J. A. Lane, C. N. Drew, O. M. Clevenger, Fred Maxwell, L. P. Jones, F. F. Holzie, John White, R. M. Nuzum, J. O. Oldham, A. N. Sanders, Quincy Hunter.

PETIT JURY.

Henry Williams, J. L. Spradling, Edward Kunz, D. A. Kimbrell, H. N. McDongal, B. R. Page, Jno. W. Maxwell, Robert Little, W. E. March, Wm. Cranfill, Otis Brown, Jno. J. Brown, J. K. Luster, Roy Smith, Z. E. Miller, Chas. Sprinthead, J. T. Coleman, W. Todd, Fred Broadhead, T. M. Holder, John Nzer, G. W. Davidson, Frank May, W. B. Johnson, Jim Turner, Sam J. Green, Jacob Schweickard, W. F. Wade, D. B. Mayhorn, W. D. Kultz, B. W. Willis, A. J. Goodwin, J. E. Black, Sam D. Lowry, M. A. Sweeten, J. F. Edmonds.

The members of the Baptist church, and their friends spent a very enjoyable evening Monday at the church, the being for the purpose of social enjoyment. Dr. Hough furnished the feature of the evening in two solo selections, and the pastor offered a few words of welcome to the guests. Dainty refreshments were served and a free-will offering was made, the proceeds of which will be used to some good purpose by the ladies.

L. W. Fiscus is sole agent in this county for the E. M. F. 30 autos; also the Landers 20. Call and figure with him.

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The compulsory school law of New Mexico, compels parents, guardians or other persons having the control, care or direction of children, when such children do not attend some private or denominational school, to send, such children under their control to the public school during the entire time such school is in session in each scholastic year in their respective school communities, except that such children referred to in this act shall not be less than seven years nor more than fourteen years of age, or of such physical disability as to unfit them for school duties, which disability shall be certified by some regular practicing physician.

This section shall not apply to children who live more than three miles from a public school. The clerk of the school board shall give public notice of this law, which notice shall contain the substance of the act, written or printed by posting same in some conspicuous place at three points within the district. A failure on the part of parents or guardians to comply with the law brings a punishment on the offender, of a fine of not less than \$5, nor more than \$25, or by imprisonment for not more than ten days in any county jail.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. S. F. Culberson,
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Earle Williams, one of the popular young salesmen of the Joyce-Pruit Co., will leave Sunday for Dallas, Texas where he will visit his brother for some weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Taylor was called to Amarillo, Texas, last Friday to attend the bedside of a niece who is very ill.

WHAT WE OWE TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL OF PORTALES

1. To recognize its supreme importance in the life of our town; for next to the homes the public schools are the greatest factors in the life of our nation.

2. To recognize in both the trustees and teachers our partners and co-workers in building both the town, the state and the nation.

3. To understand that plans and methods of school life have changed somewhat since we were children; and these changes, for most part, have all been for the better.

4. To appreciate the fact that a teacher's personality,—his or her way of teaching and managing the work of the school,—is precisely that part of the school work which must be least interfered with if your child is to get greatest good from the school. Let each teacher be themselves in their plans and methods of handling the children.

5. To appreciate the fact that even your child may need correction in some lines—that is, if they are closely related to their parents.

6. To realize that inconsiderate criticism of teachers in the home is the worst possible hurt to both the children and the school, except the still more criminal indifference and ignorance which places the parents where they neither know nor care what goes on at school.

7. To apprehend the fact that the best way to help on the school is to make it a large and fixed part of the life of your home, town and county; to provide the best teachers, books and surroundings possible, and we can not have them too good, and then help in every way possible to make each term of school the best in the life of the children.

W. A. Hostetler, who owns a nice farm four miles southwest of town, was a pleasant caller at the Herald office Tuesday, leaving a dollar to his credit on subscription and what was more touching to the staff's appetite—a large watermelon just off the vine. May the Herald not be pardoned for feeling just a bit partial toward those who remember us in this manner?

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Prof. O. B. Staples and family returned Sunday from an extended visit to points in Colorado. Mr. Staples has a special announcement elsewhere in this paper relating to the work of the schools and every patron should turn to this and see what he has to say.

Don't waste your money buying plasters when you can get a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment for twenty-five cents. A piece of flannel dampened with this liniment is superior to any plaster for lame back, pains in the side and chest, and much cheaper. Sold by Pearce & Patterson Pharmacy.

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